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24 January 1964

CRITICAL COLLECTION PROBLEMS COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in  
Room 6 F 25 (OSI Conference Room)  
CIA Headquarters Building, Langley  
at 1330 hours, on Friday, 24 January 1964

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Central Intelligence Agency  
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Clyde W. Snider	- Bureau of Intelligence and Research, Department of State
Rear Adm. William M. McCormick, USN	- Defense Intelligence Agency
Rear Adm. Frederick J. Harlfinger, II, USN	- Defense Intelligence Agency
Mr. Robert J. Mullen	- Defense Intelligence Agency
Colonel Donald M. Thompson, USAF	- Defense Intelligence Agency
Colonel John E. Boyt	- Office of Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Department of the Army
Mr. J. William Grady	- Office of Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Department of the Army
Comdr. Howard B. Kenton	- Department of the Navy
Lieutenant Jay R. Collins	- Department of the Navy
Colonel Russell L. French	- Office of Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, Department of the Air Force
25X1A	- National Security Agency
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	- Technical Secretary, CCPC

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1. NEW MEMBER

The Chairman introduced Rear Admiral Frederick J. Harlfinger, II, USN, recently appointed Assistant Director for Acquisitions, Defense Intelligence Agency, and welcomed him to the CCPC. [redacted] expressed regret at Admiral McCormick's departure and extended to him the appreciation of the Committee for his contributions.

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2. [redacted] SATELLITE BRIEFING

25X1A [redacted] briefed the Committee on the potentials of this proposed collection system. He noted that a year's operation utilizing three boosters would cost in the neighborhood of [redacted] and said that the greatest problem to be overcome is that of [redacted] is also a factor. In respect to processing of material collected by this system, [redacted] pointed out that availability of people and time were the limiting factors.

3. SCHEDULE OF BRIEFINGS

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The Chairman announced that briefings of the Committee on the following subjects would be given on the dates indicated:

Thursday, 30 January 1964 -- Drone -- Army  
Monday, 3 February 1964 -- RED WIND -- Army  
Thursday, 6 February 1964 -- Tethered Balloon -- ARPA

25X1A [redacted] further indicated that on Monday, 27 January, he hoped the Committee would identify those proposals which can be sent to USIB for action in the immediate future.

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ADJOURNMENT: 1425 hours

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Technical Secretary